## **County Highlights Home**

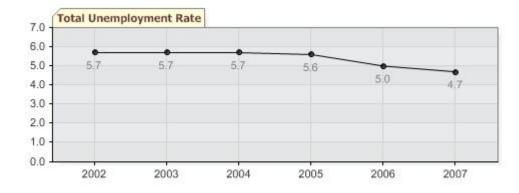
## **Jasper County, IN Highlights**

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<u>Overview</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Education</u>	Commuting	Labor Force	<u>Industry</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Firm Size</u>

## **Labor Force**

An area's labor force provides insight on the availability factor and is residence-based - that is, the people are working or seeking work and reside in the particular county or region.

Annual Labor Force Estimates in 2007						
	Number	Pct. Chg. from 2000				
Labor Force	15,575	5.4%				
Employed	14,838	3.8%				
Unemployed	737	52.0%				
Rate	4.7	42.4%				



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Labor Force Estimates									
	Labor Force	Emp.	Unemp.	Area Rate	State Rate				
1997	14,468	13,852	616	4.3	3.3				
1998	14,278	13,753	525	3.7	2.9				
1999	14,575	14,017	558	3.8	2.9				
2000	14,782	14,297	485	3.3	2.9				
2001	14,979	14,271	708	4.7	4.2				
2002	15,017	14,166	851	5.7	5.2				
2003	15,020	14,166	854	5.7	5.3				
2004	15,047	14,189	858	5.7	5.3				
2005	15,198	14,349	849	5.6	5.4				
2006	15,486	14,710	776	5.0	5.0				
2007	15,575	14,838	737	4.7	4.6				



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics